

The Judiciary, State of Hawai'i

Testimony to the Senate Committee on Ways and Means

Senator Donovan M. Dela Cruz, Chair Senator Gilbert S.C. Keith-Agaran, Vice Chair

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WRITTEN TESTIMONY

Bill No. and Title: Senate Bill No. 1079, S.D. 1, Relating to Deferred Maintenance.

Purpose: Establishes an asset management task force within the Office of the Lieutenant Governor to create a standardized schedule of repair and maintenance of state-owned facilities. Makes an appropriation for the asset management task force.

Judiciary's Position:

The Judiciary strongly supports Senate Bill No. 1079, S.D. 1, and is willing to participate as a member of the task force.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify on this measure.





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Committee: Senate Ways and Means

Department: Education

Person Testifying: Dr. Christina M. Kishimoto, Superintendent of Education

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lieutenant governor to create a standardized schedule of repair and maintenance of state-owned facilities. Makes an appropriation for the

asset management task force. (SD1)

Department's Position:

The Department of Education supports SB 1079, SD1. We recognize the need for an improved system to identify and manage repair and maintenance projects. The Office of School Facilities and Support Services is in the process of establishing a new Facility Asset Management section which would address many of the elements identified in this proposed legislation.

Thank you for the opportunity to submit testimony on this measure.

The Hawaii State Department of Education seeks to advance the goals of the Strategic Plan which is focused on student success, staff success, and successful systems of support. This is achieved through targeted work around three impact strategies: school design, student voice, and teacher collaboration. Detailed information is available at www.hawaiipublicschools.org.